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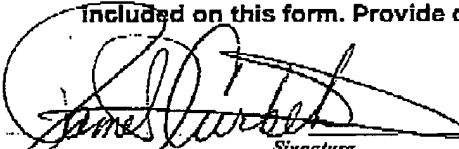



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This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 17, 2005.

Please amend the Application as follows:

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